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SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF ANDREW PIERRE, COUNCIL ON FOREIGN

RELATIONS

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1. ANDREW PIERRE, COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS, IS PRE-PARING A STUDY ON CONVENTIONAL ARMS SALES. HE IS LOOKING LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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AT THIS ISSUE FROM A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE. PIERRE IS INTERESTED IN ARMS SALES FROM POINT OF VIEW OF POLICY IMPLICATIONS AND NOT WEAPONS SYSTEMS PER SE. HE IS PARTICULARLY LOOKING AT IMPACT OF ARMS SALES POLICIES ON FOREIGN POLICIES OF BOTH SUPPLIER COUNTRIES AND PURCHASERS. IN BRAZIL AND ARGENTINA HE WILL ALSO BE EXAMINING IMPACT ON POLICY OF DOMESTIC PRODUCTION CAPABILITIES. FOR PAST

SEVERAL MONTHS PIERRE, A FORMER FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICER, HAS BEEN BASED IN PARIS AND FROM THERE HAS EXAMINED ARMS SALES POLICIES OF FRANCE, UK, AND SOVIET UNION. MOST RECENTLY HE WAS IN THE PERSIAN GULF AREA LOOKING AT ARMS SALES IN THE CONTEXT OF THE MIDDLE EAST COMPLEX OF PROBLEMS. HIS SECONDARY FIELD OF INTEREST IS NUCLEAR POLICY.

2. PIERRE IS NOW PLANNING HIS FIRST TRIP TO LATIN
AMERICA. HE WILL BE DISCUSSING GENERAL ISSUE OF CONVENTIONAL ARMS SALES IN WESTERN HEMISPHERE AND PARTICULARLY
HOW ACTIONS OF HEMISPHERE GOVERNMENTS HAVE BEEN AFFECTED

BY POLICIES OF SUPPLIERS, INCLUDING HUMAN RIGHTS AND ARMS RESTRAINT POLICIES OF U.S. PIERRE'S SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS:

MAY 7-15 -- BRAZIL (RIO DE JANEIRO AND BRASILIA);

MAY 16-21 -- BUENOS AIRES;

MAY 22-25 -- SANTIAGO;

MAY 26-31 -- LIMA: AND

JUNE 1-6 -- CARACAS.

3. PIERRE INFORMS US HE HAS WRITTEN AMBASSADORS IN EACH OF THE COUNTRIES HE PLANS TO VISIT EXPLAINING IN SOME DETAIL PURPOSES OF TRIP AND PARAMETERS OF HIS STUDY. HE HOPES TO MEET WITH AMBASSADORS, POLITICAL OFFICERS AND LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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DEFENSE ATTACHES FOR BRIEFINGS. HE HAS EXPLAINED TO US THAT HE IS HOPEFUL EMBASSIES CAN ASSIST HIM BY ARRANGING APPOINTMENTS WITH APPROPRIATE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND PRIVATE CITIZENS WHO ARE KNOWLEDGEABLE IN AREA OF HIS PRESENT STUDY. HE WILL BE GUIDED BY EMBASSIES' RECOMMENDATIONS, BUT ALSO MADE SOME SPECIFIC REQUESTS AS FOLLOWS:

IN BRAZIL;

SERGIO BATH, FOREIGN SERVICE INSTITUTE
FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA
GENERAL GOLBERY
FERNANDO ENRIQUE CARDOSO (CEBRAP); WE INFORMED PIERRE
THAT CARDOSO IS IN U.S.
CELDO LAFER (CEBRAP AND UNIV. SAO PAULO)
EX-FOREIGN MINISTER VASCO DE CUNHA
CANDIDO MENDES (IUPERJ, RIO)

IN PERU:

JULIO CUTLER

IN VENEZUELA;

FOREIGN MINISTER CONSALVI (WE EXPLAINED HE MIGHT NOT BE AVAILABLE)
PEREZ - GUERRERO

- 4. ADDRESSEES REQUESTED TO PROVIDE STANDARD COURTESIES AND APPROPRIATE ASSISTANCE, PARTICULARLY IN HELPING WITH APPOINTMENTS AND BRIEFINGS. PIERRE IS A PRIVATE CITIZEN, HOWEVER, AND IS IN NO RPT NO WAY CONNECTED WITH USG. HIS STUDY AT THE COUNCIL IS BEING FINANCED BY FORD AND ROCKE-FELLER FOUNDATIONS.
- 5. FOR BRAZILIAN POSTS: PIERRE RECEIVED BRASILIA'S LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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MESSAGE IN PARIS. HE WILL CALL GIESE MONDAY MORNING, MAY 8, FROM RIO, TO DISCUSS PLANS AND A POSSIBLE VISIT TO SAO PAULO.

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